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SUBJECT: BALLET COMPANIES FOR GULBENKIAN

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1. KNOW OF NO U.S. OPERA COMPANIES PLANNING OVERSEAS TOURS.

2. AMERICAN BALLET THEATRE IS PLANNING EUROPEAN TOUR
JUNE 20 TO EARLY AUGUST. COMPANY HAS REQUESTED SUPPLEMEN-
TARY FUNDS FROM DEPT WHICH WE CAN NOT PROVIDE. ITINERARY
SEEMS ALMOST CONFIRMED WITH STOPS IN VIENNA (JUNE 20-26),
ATHENS JUNE 27-JULY 3; LONDON JULY 4 TO 17; JULY 18 TO 24
NOT CONFIRMED; PARIS JULY 25 FOR TWO WEEKS. SUGGEST
GULBENKIAN CONTACT ASAP GENERAL MANAGER DARYL DODSON,
AMERICAN BALLET THEATRE, 888 SEVENTH AVENUE, NEW YORK,
N.Y. 10019 CABLE BALLETHE, N.Y. IF INTERESTED PURSUING.

3. DEPT HAS LEARNED ELIOT FELD BALLET ALSO CONTEMPLATING
EUROPEAN TOUR BUT DEPT CAN OBTAIN NO FIRM DATES OR DETAILS
AT PRESENT. HAVE ADVISED COMPANY OF GULBENKIAN'S INTEREST
AND EXPECT TO OBTAIN FURTHER INFORMATION SOON. WILL ADVISE.
GULBENKIAN COULD OBTAIN INFORMATION DIRECTLY FROM MS. CORA
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CAHAN, ASSOCIATE DIRECTOR, ELIOT FELD BALLET COMPANY, 150

WEST 65 STREET, NEW YORK, N.Y. 10023.

4. IN MODERN DANCE FIELD DEPT HAS LEARNED BELLA LEWITZKY
DANCE COMPANY TRYING ARRANGE EUROPEAN TOUR MAY 20 TO
JULY 10, 1976. GROUP RATED 'GOOD" IN 1972 BUT WE WILL
ATTEMPT OBTAIN UPDATED EVALUATION.

5. FYI: MURRAY LOUIS MANAGER MET WITH JOSE BLANCO WHO
EXPRESSED INTEREST IN HAVING COMPANY APPEAR IN LISBON.
CU/ARTS ENJOYED MEETING WITH BLANCO AND LEARNING FIRSTHAND
ABOUT GULBENKIAN'S ACTIVITIES. KISSINGER

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